

AMERICANS MEET GERMANS TO-DAY

Nottingham, England, July 9.—Drawing for the tennis matches between the United States and Germany in the first semi-final of the preliminary events to select a team to challenge the English holder of the Dwight Davis International trophy was made to-day.

The United States will be represented by Maurice E. McLoughlin, of San Francisco; R. Myrland Williams, of New York; and Wallace F. Johnson, of Philadelphia, as reserve.

The German team is composed of Otto Proitzheim, Oscar Kreutzer, Friedrich Wilhelm Rahe and Heinrich Klein-schroth.

Williams meets Proitzheim to-morrow, on Friday. McLoughlin and Hackett will meet Rahe and Klein-schroth in the doubles.

HAVENS LANDS AT MACATAWA PARK

Made 45 Miles in 56 Minutes

With Verplanck's Hydro-aeroplane.

Macatawa Park, Mich., July 9.—Decked with Havens, contestant in the Chicago-Detroit flying-boat cruise, arrived here shortly before 7 o'clock and Hackett, in the hydro-aeroplane with him, was the owner of the machine, J. D. R. Verplanck. The trip from South Haven to Macatawa Park, forty-five miles, was made against a strong head wind in fifty-six minutes.

Havens kept close to the lake shore all the way, and made a perfect landing at Macatawa Park. He then proceeded by water to the hotel where he beached his machine for the night. The stop in South Haven was made to empty his tanks and procure better gasoline. Havens and Verplanck will spend the night here and proceed on their journey early to-morrow morning.

MIKE GLOVER TOO FAST FOR PLATTS

New York, July 9.—Clever Mike Glover, of Boston, took all the sharp edges off the "Sheffield Blade," Gus Platts, at the eighth and tenth rounds. Mike, long on left jabs and coolness, was all over his man for ten rounds.

Platts was entirely unclassified. He simply couldn't lay a fist on the elusive Brawler. Glover scored particularly in the fourth, sixth and tenth rounds. Young Hickey and Mike Farrell fought a slashing ten-round go. Hickey was too clever for Mike and won on the bit.

Dick Peters and Tommy Gint fought the first ten-round bout. Dick had the bulge at the end.

Baseball Results Yesterday

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Birmingham, 2; Montgomery, 2 (11 innings; called account of darkness). Chattanooga, 8; Chattanooga, 1. Atlanta, 5; Memphis, 3. Nashville, 3; Mobile, 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

Albany, 4; Charleston, 9. Jacksonville, 11; Columbus, 4. Savannah, 8; Macon, 9.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Winston-Salem, 4; Asheville, 14. Charlotte, 12; Greensboro, 9. Raleigh, 4; Durham, 3 (18 innings).

APPALACHIAN LEAGUE

Bristol, 6; Johnson City, 6. (Called and forfeited inning, darkness). Middletown, 7; Morristown, 8.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee, 3; St. Paul, 1. Columbus-Louisville, both games postponed; rain. Indianapolis, 4; Toledo, 7. Kansas City, 6; Minneapolis, 5 (ten innings).

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Providence, 7; Baltimore, 7. (Game called and seventh, allow teams catch train). Buffalo, 3; Toronto, 7. Rochester, 5; Montreal, 3. Newark, 3; Jersey City, 4.

Anderson Improved.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 9.—The condition of Bud Anderson, the Medford, Oregon, lightweight pugilist, who was operated on last night for appendicitis, showed satisfactory improvement to-day. His speedy recovery was predicted.

THIRD MOUNTAIN EXCURSION TO Western North Carolina Resorts Tuesday, July 22, 1913 VIA Southern Railway

Premier Carrier of the South.
Round Trip Fares From Richmond, Va. To
Asheville and Black Mountain \$8.00
Hendersonville, Hot Springs and Waynesville 9.00
Lake Toxaway 10.00
Proportionately low fares from all points, West Point to Danville, Va., and Keyville to Clarksville, Va., inclusive.
Good for ten days beyond date of sale.
Tickets will be honored on all trains of July 22d—in Pullman cars or day coaches.
Visit the LAND OF THE SKY, where it is delightfully cool and refreshing.
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SPIRITED FIGHT IS ON FOR OFFICES

Three Federal Plums in North Carolina Expected to Drop Soon.

OUTCOME IS IN DOUBT

Positions of Marshal, Collector and Attorney to Be Filled.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Raleigh, N. C. July 9.—The final allotment of the three big Federal plums in this the Eastern District of North Carolina is expected to be settled in Washington soon, and there is the keenest interest in the ultimate outcome. The big offices are collector of internal revenue, United States marshal, with the assistant district attorney thrown in to complicate the situation. Francis Winston is standing firm in his demand for the district attorneyship.

J. W. Bailey insists that he has earned the plum of position in the gift of United States Senator F. M. Simmons, and expresses his preference for the collectorship and willingness to take the district attorneyship instead, if that adjustment will suit Senator Simmons better.

W. T. Dorch is making a determined fight for the collectorship, and is having pressure brought to bear on him to take the assistant district attorneyship now and wait for the marshalship that will be available in April, 1914.

All three are prominent lawyers with large practice, and the matter of just how well each can keep up with his growing legal practice and hold on to the pay envelopes of Uncle Sam for big salaries in addition is an important factor in the acceptability of the several offices for whoever gets them. On the other hand, it is being pointed out that while some of these office holders in the past have been allowed to spend the bulk of their time looking after personal matters and visit the offices at remote intervals to sign checks, the Wilson administration is determined to change all this, and government officers of all classes will be obligated to give their personal and constant attention to their official duties.

The most general expectation as to the outcome of the contest in this district is that Mr. Bailey will get the collectorship, Francis Winston the district attorneyship, and Mr. Dorch the assistant district attorneyship, pending the availability of the marshalship next April. The appointment of Joe Taylor, of Washington, to the secretaryship of the Senate Finance Committee, succeeding A. D. Watts, is believed to indicate strongly that this is the plan for the settlement of the difficulties. He was an aspirant for United States marshal.

True Bill Returned.
The Wake County grand jury returned a true bill against C. H. Bowles, of Wilmington, secretary-treasurer of the States Trust Co., for false entries and reports to the corporation commission as to the banking operations of the company in the formation of the chain of rural banks that the Corporation Commission shut down several months ago in its inception. The case is to be called for trial before Judge Cook in the Superior Court Friday.

T. E. Daniels, court crier for the Wake Superior Court, is a painstaking officer, and strives to do everything just right. Last evening Judge C. M. Cook, the presiding judge, directed the crier to adjourn court "until half-past 10 Wednesday morning." The crier called out: "Oh yes! Oh yes! This honorable court now stand adjourned until 10:30 Wednesday morning." Judge Cook, with characteristic emphasis, interrupted. "Mr. Crier," he said, "I did not say 10:30, I said half-past 10."

The crier quickly apologized and proceeded to call the adjournment in due form to "half-past 10."

Announcement has been made that Dr. A. F. Hall, who has been director of the State campaign for the eradication of hookworm disease for the Rockefeller Foundation for several years, will go to Washington to take the direction of the work for the whole country, being appointed to this high position because of his remarkable success in North Carolina. He will be succeeded in the North Carolina work by Dr. C. L. Pridden, of Kingston, who has been an assistant to Dr. Ferrell for some time.

High School Sororities Barred.
Asheville, N. C., July 9.—In order that high school girls may be discouraged from joining sororities of smaller institutions of learning, ineligible for charters from the national Kappa Delta Sorority, which is holding its convention here, passed a resolution forbidding the initiation into any charter of any girl who joins a high school sorority after September 1, 1915. The organization went on record as being opposed to the granting of charters to organizations at college below national Class II, thereby raising the standard of the sorority.

GASTON-HUDGINS IS ON FOR CRUTCHES

Norfolk, Va., July 9.—Steve Gaston, Norfolk's star pitcher, who broke his leg two weeks ago, was on the street to-day for the first time. Steve is hobbling around on crutches, and it is doubtful whether he will be able to play again this season.

Catcher Hudgins of the Pirates, who also broke his leg several weeks ago, is able to get around with the aid of crutches. It is said that Hudgins' injuries were not as serious as Gaston's, and he will probably be back at his old job in a few weeks.

Left Fielder Blackstone, of the Petersburg team, who broke his left leg in attempting to slide to second in a game with Norfolk several weeks ago, is reported to be getting along as well as might be expected. Blackstone's injuries are quite serious, and he may not be able to play again this season.

BUSKIN WINS CANADIAN DERBY

Buffalo, N. Y., July 9.—Buskin captured the Canadian Derby to-day in the spirited race from First Night and Barnogal, the former finishing second and the latter third. The field was hunched at the start, but Buskin proved the most courageous of the three under hard driving, and won in the last few yards. First Night held to the leaders until the last leading barrier by a length. Camella, at 8 to 1, won the second race handsily from Reputation and Tom Sawyer and Flabberast and lived up to expectation when he captured the fifth race. A banner crowd turned out for the running of the Canadian Derby, threatening weather falling to keep the fans away.

NEWS OF ASHLAND

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Ashland, Va., July 9.—Floyd Reams, vice-grand regent and a member of the Norfolk Council, Royal Arcanum, of Richmond, paid an official visit to Henry Clay Council, Royal Arcanum, last night. Reams gave a most interesting talk to the large number of members present.

Miss Peachy Fleet will leave Saturday to visit Mrs. Hill Carter, Jr., at her home in King William County. Mrs. G. H. Dugdale, of Roanoke, has taken the Cranberry Cottage, on Railroad Avenue.

Miss Ethel Priddy, who has been changing relatives here, has returned to her home in Glinter Park. Dr. James O. Hart has returned from a visit to his old home in Louisiana, much improved in health.

Miss Cleora Segar, of Lewistown, was the recent guest of Mrs. W. J. Wright, Dr. Phil Taylor, of Richmond, was the guest on Sunday of Professor and Mrs. R. B. Shelton in Richmond.

Mrs. W. N. Shelton is in Richmond visiting relatives. Miss Mildred Hart left to-day for a visit to relatives in Louisiana County. Mrs. C. A. Barnes and children are spending sometime with Mrs. Merritt Nolly at Afton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Jones and Dr. and Mrs. Hall Carter will leave next week for a visit to Atlantic City. Mrs. John Addison will go to Mount Lake next week to spend some time.

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